

**EXHIBIT NO. 1**

**AFFIDAVIT AND C.V. OF DR. MARC STERN**

**Declaration of Dr. Marc Stern**

I, Marc Stern, declare as follows:

1. I am a physician, board-specialized in internal medicine, specializing in correctional health care. I most recently served as the Assistant Secretary for Health Care at the Washington State Department of Corrections. I also have considerable familiarity with the immigration detention system. I served for four years as a medical subject matter expert for the Officer of Civil Rights and Civil Liberties, U.S. Department of Homeland Security, and as a medical subject matter expert for one year for the California Attorney General's division responsible for monitoring the conditions of confinement in Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) detention facilities. I have also served as a consultant to Human Rights Watch in their preparation of two reports on health-related conditions of confinement in ICE detention facilities. In those capacities, I have visited and examined more than 20 ICE detention facilities and reviewed hundreds of records, including medical records and detention death reviews of individuals in ICE detention. Attached as Exhibit A is a copy of my curriculum vitae.
2. COVID-19 is a serious disease and has reached pandemic status. At least 132,758 people around the world have received confirmed diagnoses of COVID 19 as of March 13, 2020, including 1,629 people in the United States. At least 4,955 people have died globally as a result of COVID-19 as of March 13, 2020, including 41 in the United States. These numbers will increase, perhaps exponentially.
3. COVID-19 is a novel virus. There is no vaccine for COVID-19, and there is no cure for COVID-19. No one has immunity. The only way to control the virus is to use preventive strategies, including social distancing.
4. The time course of the disease can be very rapid. Individuals can show the first symptoms of infection in as little as two days after exposure and their condition can seriously deteriorate in as little as five days (perhaps sooner) after that.
5. The effects of COVID-19 are very serious, especially for people who are most vulnerable. Vulnerable people include people over the age of 50, and those of any age with underlying health problems such as – but not limited to – weakened immune systems, hypertension, diabetes, blood, lung, kidney, heart, and liver disease, and possibly pregnancy.
6. Vulnerable people who are infected by the COVID-19 virus can experience severe respiratory illness, as well as damage to other major organs. Treatment for serious cases of COVID-19 requires significant advanced support, including ventilator assistance for respiration and intensive care support. An outbreak of COVID-19 could put significant pressure on or exceed the capacity of local health infrastructure.
7. Detention facilities are congregate environments, i.e. places where people live and sleep in close proximity. In such environments, infectious diseases that are transmitted via the air or touch are more likely to spread. This therefore presents an increased danger for the spread of COVID-

19 if and when it is introduced into the facility. To the extent that detainees are housed in close quarters, unable to maintain a six-foot distance from others, and sharing or touching objects used by others, the risks of spread are greatly, if not exponentially, increased as already evidenced by spread of COVID-19 in another congregate environment: nursing homes and cruise ships.

8. Social distancing in ways that are recommended by public health officials can be difficult, if not impossible in detention facilities, placing people at risk, especially when the number of detainees is high.

9. For detainees who are at high risk of serious illness or death should they contract the COVID-19 virus, release from detention is a critically important way to meaningfully mitigate that risk. Additionally, the release of detainees who present a low risk of harm to the community is also an important mitigation strategy as it reduces the total number of detainees in a facility. Combined, this has a number of valuable effects on public health and public safety: it allows for greater social distancing, which reduces the chance of spread if virus is introduced; it allows easier provision of preventive measures such as soap for handwashing, cleaning supplies for surfaces, frequent laundering and showers, etc.; and it helps prevent overloading the work of detention staff such that they can continue to ensure the safety of detainees.

10. The release of detainees, especially those with increased health-related vulnerability, also supports the broader community because carceral and detention settings, regardless of the level of government authorities that oversee them, are integral parts of the community's public health infrastructure. Reducing the spread and severity of infection in a Federal immigration detention center slows, if not reduces, the number of people who will become ill enough to require hospitalization, which in turn reduces the health and economic burden to the local community at large.

11. As a correctional public health expert, I recommend release of eligible individuals from detention, with priority given to the elderly and those with underlying medical conditions most vulnerable to serious illness or death if infected with COVID-19.

12. Conditions related to COVID-19 are changing rapidly and may change between the time I execute this Declaration and when this matter appears before the Court. One of the most worrisome changes would be confirmation of a case of COVID-19 within the detention center, either among staff or detainees. In the event of this occurring, and eligible detainees being quarantined or isolated due to possible exposure to the virus, I recommend that the detainee(s) be tested for the virus if testing is available. Armed with the results of that test if it is available, or in the absence of other instructions from the health authority of the municipality to which they will be returning or the Washington State public health authority, those who can easily return to a home without exposure to the public, should be released to that home for continued quarantine or isolation for the appropriate time period. All others can be released to appropriate housing as directed or arranged in coordination with the relevant health authority.

13. I have reviewed Plaintiffs' complaint and on the basis of the claims presented, conclude that Plaintiffs have underlying medical conditions that increase the risk of serious illness or death if exposed to COVID-19. Due to the risks caused by the congregate environment in immigration

detention, compounded by the marked increase in risk conferred by their underlying medical conditions, I recommend their release.

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed this 15th day in March, 2020 in Tumwater, Washington.

  
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Dr. Marc Stern

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## SUMMARY OF EXPERIENCE

### CORRECTIONAL HEALTH CARE CONSULTANT

2009 – PRESENT

Consultant in the design, management, and operation of health services in a correctional setting to assist in evaluating, monitoring, or providing evidence-based, cost-effective care consistent with constitutional mandates of quality.

Current activities include:

- Advisor to various jails in Washington State on patient safety, health systems, and related health care and custody staff activities and operations, and RFP and contract generation (2014 - )
- Consultant to the US Department of Justice, Civil Rights Division, Special Litigation Section. Providing investigative support and expert medical services pursuant to complaints regarding care delivered in any US jail, prison, or detention facility. (2010 - ) (no current open cases)
- Physician prescriber/trainer for administration of naloxone by law enforcement officers for the Olympia, Tumwater, Lacey, Yelm, and Evergreen College Police Departments (2017 - )
- Consultant to the Civil Rights Enforcement Section, Office of the Attorney General of California, under SB 29, to review the healthcare-related conditions of confinement of detainees confined by Immigration and Customs Enforcement in California facilities (2017 - )
- Rule 706 Expert to the Court, US District Court for the District of Arizona, in the matter of Parsons v. Ryan (2018 - )

Previous activities include:

- Consultant to Human Rights Watch to evaluate medical care of immigrants in Homeland Security detention (2016 - 2018)
- Consultant to Broward County Sheriff to help develop and evaluate responses to a request for proposals (2017 - 2018)
- Member of monitoring team (medical expert) pursuant to Consent Agreement between US Department of Justice and Miami-Dade County (United States of America v Miami-Dade County, *et al.*) regarding, *entre outre*, unconstitutional medical care. (2013 - 2016)
- Jointly appointed Consultant to the parties in Flynn v Walker (formerly Flynn v Doyle), a class action lawsuit before the US Federal District Court (Eastern District of Wisconsin) regarding Eighth Amendment violations of the health care provided to women at the Taycheedah Correctional Institute. Responsible for monitoring compliance with the medical component of the settlement. (2010 - 2015)
- Consultant on “Drug-related Death after Prison Release,” a research grant continuing work with Dr. Ingrid Binswanger, University of Colorado, Denver, examining the causes of, and methods of reducing deaths after release from prison to the community. National Institutes of Health Grant R21 DA031041-01. (2011 - 2016)
- Consultant to the US Department of Homeland Security, Office for Civil Rights and Civil Liberties. Providing investigative support and expert medical services pursuant to complaints regarding care received by immigration detainees in the custody of U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement. (2009 - 2014)
- Special Master for the US Federal District Court (District of Idaho) in Balla v Idaho State Board of Correction, et al., a class action lawsuit alleging Eighth Amendment violations in provision of health care at the Idaho State Correctional Institution. (2011 - 2012)
- Facilitator/Consultant to the US Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Bureau of Justice Statistics, providing assistance and input for the development of the first National Survey of Prisoner Health. (2010-2011)
- Project lead and primary author of National Institute of Corrections’ project entitled “Correctional Health Care Executive Curriculum Development,” in collaboration with National Commission on Correctional Health Care. NIC commissioned this curriculum for its use to train executive leaders from jails and prisons across the nation to better manage the health care missions of their facilities. Cooperative Agreement 11AD11GK18, US Department of Justice, National Institute of Corrections. (2011 - 2015 )

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- Co-teacher, with Jaye Anno, Ph.D., for the National Commission on Correctional Health Care, of the Commission's standing course, *An In-Depth Look at NCCHC's 2008 Standards for Health Services in Prisons and Jails* taught at its national meetings. (2010 - 2013)
  - Contributor to 2014 Editions of Standards for Health Services in Jails and Standards for Health Services in Prisons, National Commission on Correctional Health Care. (2013)
  - Consultant to the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation court-appointed Receiver for medical operations. Projects included:
    - Assessing the Receiver's progress in completing its goal of bringing medical care delivered in the Department to a constitutionally mandated level. (2009)
    - Providing physician leadership to the Telemedicine Program Manager tasked with improving and expanding the statewide use of telemedicine. (2009)
  - Conceived, co-designed, led, and instructed in American College of Correctional Physicians and National Commission on Correctional Health Care's Medical Directors Boot Camp (now called Leadership Institute), a national training program for new (Track "101") and more experienced (Track "201") prison and jail medical directors. (2009 - 2012)
  - Participated as a member of a nine-person Delphi expert consensus panel convened by Rand Corporation to create a set of correctional health care quality standards. (2009)
  - Convened a coalition of jails, Federally Qualified Health Centers, and community mental health centers in ten counties in Washington State to apply for a federal grant to create an electronic network among the participants that will share prescription information for the correctional population as they move among these three venues. (2009 - 2010)
  - Participated as a clinical expert in comprehensive assessment of Michigan Department of Corrections as part of a team from the National Commission on Correctional Health Care. (2007)
  - Provided consultation to Correctional Medical Services, Inc., St. Louis (now Corizon), on issues related to development of an electronic health record. (2001)
  - Reviewed cases of possible professional misconduct for the Office of Professional Medical Conduct of the New York State Department of Health. (1999 – 2001)
  - Advised Deputy Commissioner, Indiana State Board of Health, on developing plan to reduce morbidity from chronic diseases using available databases. (1992)
  - Provided consultation to Division of General Medicine, University of Nevada at Reno, to help develop a new clinical practice site combining a faculty practice and a supervised resident clinic. (1991)

## **OLYMPIA BUPRENORPHINE CLINIC, OLYMPIA, WASHINGTON**

2019 - PRESENT

Volunteer practitioner at a low-barrier clinic to providing Medication Assisted Treatment (buprenorphine) to opioid dependent individuals wishing to begin treatment, until they can transition to a long-term treatment provider

## **OLYMPIA FREE CLINIC, OLYMPIA, WASHINGTON**

2017 - PRESENT

Volunteer practitioner providing episodic care at a neighborhood clinic which provides free care to individuals without health insurance until they can find a permanent medical home

**OLYMPIA UNION GOSPEL MISSION CLINIC, OLYMPIA, WASHINGTON**

2009 – 2014

Volunteer practitioner providing primary care at a neighborhood clinic which provides free care to individuals without health insurance until they can find a permanent medical home; my own patient panel within the practice focuses on individuals recently released jail and prison.

## **WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS**

2002 – 2008

Assistant Secretary for Health Services/Health Services Director, 2005 – 2008  
Associate Deputy Secretary for Health Care, 2002 – 2005

Responsible for the medical, mental health, chemical dependency (transiently), and dental care of 15,000 offenders in total confinement. Oversaw an annual operating budget of \$110 million and 700 health care staff.

- As the first incumbent ever in this position, ushered the health services division from an operation of 12 staff in headquarters, providing only consultative services to the Department, to an operation with direct authority and

responsibility for all departmental health care staff and budget. As part of new organizational structure, created and filled statewide positions of Directors of Nursing, Medicine, Dental, Behavioral Health, Mental Health, Psychiatry, Pharmacy, Operations, and Utilization Management.

- Significantly changed the culture of the practice of correctional health care and the morale of staff by a variety of structural and functional changes, including: ensuring that high ethical standards and excellence in clinical practice were of primordial importance during hiring of professional and supervisory staff; supporting disciplining or career counseling of existing staff where appropriate; implementing an organizational structure such that patient care decisions were under the final direct authority of a clinician and were designed to ensure that patient needs were met, while respecting and operating within the confines of a custodial system.
- Improved quality of care by centralizing and standardizing health care operations, including: authoring a new Offender Health Plan defining patient benefits based on the Eighth Amendment, case law, and evidence-based medicine; implementing a novel system of utilization management in medical, dental, and mental health, using the medical staffs as real-time peer reviewers; developing a pharmacy procedures manual and creating a Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee; achieving initial American Correctional Association accreditation for 13 facilities (all with almost perfect scores on first audit); migrating the eight individual pharmacy databases to a single central database.
- Blunted the growth in health care spending without compromising quality of care by a number of interventions, including: better coordination and centralization of contracting with external vendors, including new statewide contracts for hospitalization, laboratory, drug purchasing, radiology, physician recruitment, and agency nursing; implementing a statewide formulary; issuing quarterly operational reports at the state and facility levels.
- Piloted the following projects: direct issuance of over-the-counter medications on demand through inmates stores (commissary), obviating the need for a practitioner visit and prescription; computerized practitioner order entry (CPOE); pill splitting; ER telemedicine.
- Oversaw the health services team that participated variously in pre-design, design, or build phases of five capital projects to build complete new health units.

#### **NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONAL SERVICES**

**2001 – 2002**

##### Regional Medical Director, Northeast Region, 2001 – 2002

Responsible for clinical oversight of medical services for 14,000 offenders in 14 prisons, including one (already) under court monitoring.

- Oversaw contract with vendor to manage 60-bed regional infirmary and hospice.
- Coordinated activities among the Regional Medical Unit outpatient clinic, the Albany Medical College, and the 13 feeder prisons to provide most of the specialty care for the region.
- Worked with contracting specialists and Emergency Departments to improve access and decrease medical out-trips by increasing the proportion of scheduled and emergency services provided by telemedicine.
- Provided training, advice, and counseling to practitioners and facility health administrators in the region to improve the quality of care delivered.

#### **CORRECTIONAL MEDICAL SERVICES, INC. (now CORIZON)**

**2000 – 2001**

##### Regional Medical Director, New York Region, 2000 – 2001

Responsible for clinical management of managed care contract with New York State Department of Correctional Services to provide utilization management services for the northeast and northern regions of New York State and supervision of the 60-bed regional infirmary and hospice.

- Migrated the utilization approval function from one of an anonymous rule-based “black box” to a collaborative evidence-based decision making process between the vendor and front-line clinicians.

#### **MERCY INTERNAL MEDICINE, ALBANY, NEW YORK**

**1999 – 2000**

Neighborhood three-physician internal medicine group practice.

##### Primary Care Physician, 1999 – 2000 (6 months)

Provided direct primary care to a panel of community patients during a period of staff shortage.

**ALBANY COUNTY CORRECTIONAL FACILITY, ALBANY, NEW YORK****1998 – 1999**Acting Facility Medical Director, 1998 – 1999

Directed the medical staff of an 800 bed jail and provided direct patient care following the sudden loss of the Medical Director, pending hiring of a permanent replacement. Coordinated care of jail patients in local hospitals. Provided consultation to the Superintendent on improvements to operation and staffing of medical unit and need for privatization.

**VETERANS ADMINISTRATION MEDICAL CENTER, ALBANY, NY****1992 – 1998**Assistant Chief, Medical Service, 1995 – 1998Chief, Section of General Internal Medicine and Emergency Services, 1992 – 1998

Responsible for operation of the general internal medicine clinics and the Emergency Department.

- Designed and implemented an organizational and physical plant makeover of the general medicine ambulatory care clinic from an episodic-care driven model with practitioners functioning independently supported by minimal nursing involvement, to a continuity-of-care model with integrated physician/mid-level practitioner/registered nurse/licensed practice nurse/practice manager teams.
- Led the design and opening of a new Emergency Department.
- As the VA Section Chief of Albany Medical College's Division of General Internal Medicine, coordinated academic activities of the Division at the VA, including oversight of, and direct teaching in, ambulatory care and inpatient internal medicine rotations for medical students, residents, and fellows. Incorporated medical residents as part of the general internal medicine clinics. Awarded \$786,000 Veterans Administration grant ("PRIME I") over four years for development and operation of educational programs for medicine residents and students in allied health professions (management, pharmacy, social work, physician extenders) wishing to study primary care delivery.

**ERIE COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT, BUFFALO, NY****1988 – 1990**Director of Sexually Transmitted Diseases (STD) Services, 1989 – 1990Staff Physician, STD Clinic, 1988 – 1989Staff Physician, Lackawanna Community Health Center, 1988 – 1990

Provided leadership and patient care services in the evaluation and treatment of STDs. Successfully reorganized the county's STD services which were suffering from mismanagement and were under public scrutiny. Provided direct patient care services in primary care clinic for underserved neighborhood.

**UNION OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH CENTER, BUFFALO, NY****1988 – 1990**Staff Physician, 1988 – 1990

Provided direct patient care for the evaluation of occupationally-related health disorders.

**VETERANS ADMINISTRATION MEDICAL CENTER, BUFFALO, NY****1985 – 1990**Chief Outpatient Medical Section and Primary Care Clinic, 1986 – 1988VA Section Head, Division of General Internal Medicine, University of Buffalo, 1986 – 1988

- Developed and implemented a major restructuring of the general medicine ambulatory care clinic to reduce fragmentation of care by introduction of a continuity-of-care model with a physician/nurse team approach.

Medical Director, Anticoagulation Clinic 1986 – 1990Staff Physician, Emergency Department, 1985 – 1986**FACULTY APPOINTMENTS**

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|----------------|---|
| 2007 – present | Affiliate Assistant Professor, Department of Health Services, School of Public Health, University of Washington   |
| 1999 – present | Clinical Professor, Fellowship in Applied Public Health (previously Volunteer Faculty, Preventive Medicine Residency), University at Albany School of Public Health |
| 1996 – 2002    | Volunteer Faculty, Office of the Dean of Students, University at Albany   |
| 1992 – 2002    | Associate Clinical/Associate/Assistant Professor of Medicine, Albany Medical College  |

1993 – 1997 Clinical Associate Faculty, Graduate Program in Nursing, Sage Graduate School  
 1990 – 1992 Instructor of Medicine, Indiana University  
 1985 – 1990 Clinical Assistant Professor of Medicine, University of Buffalo  
 1982 – 1985 Clinical Assistant Instructor of Medicine, University of Buffalo

#### **OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

2016 – present Chair, Education Committee, Academic Consortium on Criminal Justice Health  
 2016 – present Washington State Institutional Review Board (“Prisoner Advocate” member)  
 2016 – 2017 Mortality Reduction Workgroup, American Jail Association  
 2013 – present Conference Planning Committee – Medical/Mental Health Track, American Jail Association  
 2013 – 2016 “Health in Prisons” course, Bloomberg School of Public Health, Johns Hopkins University/International Committee of the Red Cross  
 2013 – present Institutional Review Board, University of Washington (“Prisoner Advocate” member),  
 2011 – 2012 Education Committee, National Commission on Correctional Health Care  
 2007 – present National Advisory Committee, COCHS (Community–Oriented Correctional Health Services)  
 2004 – 2006 Fellow’s Advisory Committee, University of Washington Robert Wood Johnson Clinical Scholar Program  
 2004 External Expert Panel to the Surgeon General on the “Call to Action on Correctional Health Care”  
 2003 – present Faculty Instructor, Critical Appraisal of the Literature Course, Family Practice Residency Program, Providence St. Peter Hospital, Olympia, Washington  
 2001 – present Chair/Co-Chair, Education Committee, American College of Correctional Physicians  
 1999 – present Critical Appraisal of the Literature Course, Preventive Medicine Residency Program, New York State Department of Health/University at Albany School of Public Health  
 1999 Co-Chairperson, Education Subcommittee, Workshop Submission Review Committee, Annual Meeting, Society of General Internal Medicine  
 1997 – 1998 Northeast US Representative, National Association of VA Ambulatory Managers  
 1996 – 2002 Faculty Mentor, Journal Club, Internal Medicine Residency Program, Albany Medical College  
 1996 – 2002 Faculty Advisor and Medical Control, 5 Quad Volunteer Ambulance Service, University at Albany  
 1995 – 1998 Preceptor, MBA Internship, Union College  
 1995 Quality Assurance/Patient Satisfaction Subcommittee, VA National Curriculum Development Committee for Implementation of Primary Care Practices, Veterans Administration  
 1994 – 1998 Residency Advisory Committee, Preventive Medicine Residency, New York State Department of Health/School of Public Health, University at Albany  
 1993 Chairperson, Dean’s Task Force on Primary Care, Albany Medical College  
 1993 Task Group to develop curriculum for Comprehensive Care Case Study Course for Years 1 through 4, Albany Medical College  
 1988 – 1989 Teaching Effectiveness Program for New Housestaff, Graduate Medical Dental Education Consortium of Buffalo  
 1987 – 1990 Human Studies Review Committee, School of Allied Health Professions, University of Buffalo  
 1987 – 1989 Chairman, Subcommittee on Hospital Management Issues and Member, Subcommittee on Teaching of Ad Hoc Committee to Plan Incoming Residents Training Week, Graduate Medical Dental Education Consortium of Buffalo  
 1987 – 1988 Dean’s Ad Hoc Committee to Reorganize “Introduction to Clinical Medicine” Course  
 1987 Preceptor, Nurse Practitioner Training Program, School of Nursing, University of Buffalo  
 1986 – 1988 Course Coordinator, Simulation Models Section of Physical Diagnosis Course, University of Buffalo  
 1986 – 1988 Chairman, Service Chiefs’ Continuity of Care Task Force, Veterans Administration Medical Center, Buffalo, New York  
 1979 – 1980 Laboratory Teaching Assistant in Gross Anatomy, Université Libre de Bruxelles, Brussels, Belgium  
 1973 – 1975 Instructor and Instructor Trainer of First Aid, American National Red Cross

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- 1972 – 1975 Chief of Service or Assistant Chief of Operations, 5 Quad Volunteer Ambulance Service, University at Albany.  
1972 – 1975 Emergency Medical Technician Instructor and Course Coordinator, New York State Department of Health, Bureau of Emergency Medical Services

#### REVIEWER/EDITOR

- 2019 – present Criminal Justice Review (reviewer)  
2015 – present PLOS ONE (reviewer)  
2015 – present Founding Editorial Board Member and Reviewer, Journal for Evidence-based Practice in Correctional Health, Center for Correctional Health Networks, University of Connecticut  
2011 – present American Journal of Public Health (reviewer)  
2010 – present International Advisory Board Member and Reviewer, International Journal of Prison Health  
2010 – present Langeloth Foundation (grant reviewer)  
2001 – present Reviewer and Editorial Board Member (2009 – present), Journal of Correctional Health Care  
2001 – 2004 Journal of General Internal Medicine (reviewer)  
1996 Abstract Committee, Health Services Research Subcommittee, Annual Meeting, Society of General Internal Medicine (reviewer)  
1990 – 1992 Medical Care (reviewer)

#### EDUCATION

- University at Albany, College of Arts and Sciences, Albany; B.S., 1975 (Biology)  
University at Albany, School of Education, Albany; AMST (Albany Math and Science Teachers) Teacher Education Program, 1975  
Université Libre de Bruxelles, Faculté de Medecine, Brussels, Belgium; Candidature en Sciences Medicales, 1980  
University at Buffalo, School of Medicine, Buffalo; M.D., 1982  
University at Buffalo Affiliated Hospitals, Buffalo; Residency in Internal Medicine, 1985  
Regenstrief Institute of Indiana University, and Richard L. Roudebush Veterans Administration Medical Center; VA/NIH Fellowship in Primary Care Medicine and Health Services Research, 1992  
Indiana University, School of Health, Physical Education, and Recreation, Bloomington; M.P.H., 1992  
New York Academy of Medicine, New York; Mini-fellowship Teaching Evidence-Based Medicine, 1999

#### CERTIFICATION

- Provisional Teaching Certification for Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Grades 7–12, New York State Department of Education (expired), 1975  
Diplomate, National Board of Medical Examiners, 1983  
Diplomate, American Board of Internal Medicine, 1985  
Fellow, American College of Physicians, 1991  
License: Washington (#MD00041843, active); New York (#158327, inactive); Indiana (#01038490, inactive)  
“X” Waiver (buprenorphine), Department of Health & Human Services, 2018

#### MEMBERSHIPS

- 2019 – present Washington Association of Sheriffs and Police Chiefs  
2005 – 2016 American Correctional Association/Washington Correctional Association  
2004 – 2006 American College of Correctional Physicians (Member, Board of Directors, Chair Education Committee)  
2000 – present American College of Correctional Physicians

#### RECOGNITION

B. Jaye Anno Award for Excellence in Communication, National Commission on Correctional Health Care. 2019  
Award of Appreciation, Washington Association of Sheriffs and Police Chiefs. 2018  
Armond Start Award of Excellence, American College of Correctional Physicians. 2010  
(First) Annual Preventive Medicine Faculty Excellence Award, New York State Preventive Medicine Residency Program, University at Albany School of Public Health/New York State Department of Health. 2010  
Excellence in Education Award for excellence in clinical teaching, Family Practice Residency Program, Providence St. Peter Hospital, Olympia, Washington. 2004  
Special Recognition for High Quality Workshop Presentation at Annual Meeting, Society of General Internal Medicine. 1996  
Letter of Commendation, House Staff Teaching, University of Buffalo. 1986

#### WORKSHOPS, SEMINARS, PRESENTATIONS, INVITED LECTURES

*It's the 21<sup>st</sup> Century – Time to Bid Farewell to "Sick Call" and "Chronic Care Clinic".* Annual Conference, National Commission on Correctional Health Care. Fort Lauderdale, Florida. 2019

*HIV and Ethics – Navigating Medical Ethical Dilemmas in Corrections.* Keynote Speech, 14<sup>th</sup> Annual HIV Care in the Correctional Setting, AIDS Education and Training Program (AETC) Mountain West, Olympia, Washington. 2019

*Honing Nursing Skills to Keep Patients Safe in Jail.* Orange County Jail Special Training Session (including San Bernardino and San Diego Jail Staffs), Theo Lacy Jail, Orange, California. 2019

*What Would You Do? Navigating Medical Ethical Dilemmas.* Leadership Training Academy, National Commission on Correctional Health Care. San Diego, California. 2019

*Preventing Jail Deaths.* Jail Death Review and Investigations: Best Practices Training Program, American Jail Association, Arlington, Virginia. 2018

*How to Investigate Jail Deaths.* Jail Death Review and Investigations: Best Practices Training Program, American Jail Association, Arlington, Virginia. 2018

*Executive Manager Program in Correctional Health.* 4-day training for custody/health care teams from jails and prisons on designing safe and efficient health care systems. National Institute for Corrections Training Facility, Aurora, Colorado, and other venues in Washington State. Periodically. 2014 – present

*Medical Ethics in Corrections.* Criminal Justice 441 – Professionalism and Ethical Issues in Criminal Justice. University of Washington, Tacoma. Recurring seminar. 2012 – present

*Medical Aspects of Deaths in ICE Custody.* Briefing for U.S. Senate staffers, Human Rights Watch. Washington, D.C. 2018

*Jails' Role in Managing the Opioid Epidemic.* Panelist. Washington Association of Sheriffs and Police Chiefs Annual Conference. Spokane, Washington. 2018

*Contract Prisons and Contract Health Care: What Do We Know?* Behind Bars: Ethics and Human Rights in U.S. Prisons Conference. Center for Bioethics – Harvard Medical School/Human Rights Program – Harvard Law School. Boston, Massachusetts. 2017

*Health Care Workers in Prisons.* (With Dr. J. Wesley Boyd) Behind Bars: Ethics and Human Rights in U.S. Prisons Conference. Center for Bioethics – Harvard Medical School/Human Rights Program – Harvard Law School. Boston, Massachusetts. 2017

*Prisons, Jails and Medical Ethics: Rubber, Meet Road.* Grand Rounds. Touro Medical College. New York, New York. 2017

*Jail Medical Doesn't Have to Keep You Up at Night – National Standards, Risks, and Remedies.* Washington Association of Counties. SeaTac, Washington. 2017

*Prison and Jail Health Care: What do you need to know?* Grand Rounds. Providence/St. Peters Medical Center. Olympia, Washington. 2017

*Prison Health Leadership Conference.* 2-Day workshop. International Corrections and Prisons Association/African Correctional Services Association/Namibian Corrections Service. Omaruru, Namibia. 2016; 2018

*What Would YOU Do? Navigating Medical Ethical Dilemmas.* Spring Conference. National Commission on Correctional Health Care. Nashville, Tennessee. 2016

*Improving Patient Safety.* Spring Provider Meeting. Oregon Department of Corrections. Salem, Oregon 2016

*A View from the Inside: The Challenges and Opportunities Conducting Cardiovascular Research in Jails and Prisons.* Workshop on Cardiovascular Diseases in the Inmate and Released Prison Population. The National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute. Bethesda, Maryland. 2016

*Why it Matters: Advocacy and Policies to Support Health Communities after Incarceration.* At the Nexus of Correctional Health and Public Health: Policies and Practice session. Panelist. American Public Health Association Annual Meeting. Chicago, Illinois. 2015

*Hot Topics in Correctional Health Care.* Presented with Dr. Donald Kern. American Jail Association Annual Meeting. Charlotte, North Carolina. 2015

*Turning Sick Call Upside Down.* Annual Conference. National Commission on Correctional Health Care. Dallas, Texas, 2015.

*Diagnostic Maneuvers You May Have Missed in Nursing School.* Annual Conference. National Commission on Correctional Health Care. Dallas, Texas. 2015

*The Challenges of Hunger Strikes: What Should We Do? What Shouldn't We Do?* Annual Conference. National Commission on Correctional Health Care. Dallas, Texas. 2015

Practical and Ethical Approaches to Managing Hunger Strikes. Annual Practitioners' Conference. Washington Department of Corrections. Tacoma, Washington. 2015

*Contracting for Health Services: Should I, and if so, how?* American Jail Association Annual Meeting. Dallas, Texas. 2014

*Hunger Strikes: What should the Society of Correctional Physician's position be?* With Allen S, May J, Ritter S. American College of Correctional Physicians (Formerly Society of Correctional Physicians) Annual Meeting. Nashville, Tennessee. 2013

*Addressing Conflict between Medical and Security: an Ethics Perspective.* International Corrections and Prison Association Annual Meeting. Colorado Springs, Colorado. 2013

*Patient Safety and 'Right Using' Nurses.* Keynote address. Annual Conference. American Correctional Health Services Association. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. 2013

*Patient Safety: Overuse, underuse, and misuse...of nurses.* Keynote address. Essentials of Correctional Health Care conference. Salt Lake City, Utah. 2012

*The ethics of providing healthcare to prisoners-An International Perspective.* Global Health Seminar Series. Department of Global Health, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington. 2012

*Recovery, Not Recidivism: Strategies for Helping People Who are Incarcerated.* Panelist. NAMI Annual Meeting, Seattle, Washington, 2012

*Ethics and HIV Workshop.* HIV/AIDS Care in the Correctional Setting Conference, Northwest AIDS Education and Training Center. Salem, Oregon. 2011

*Ethics and HIV Workshop.* HIV/AIDS Care in the Correctional Setting Conference, Northwest AIDS Education and Training Center. Spokane, Washington. 2011

*Patient Safety: Raising the Bar in Correctional Health Care.* With Dr. Sharen Barboza. National Commission on Correctional Health Care Mid-Year Meeting, Nashville, Tennessee. 2010

*Patient Safety: Raising the Bar in Correctional Health Care.* American Correctional Health Services Association, Annual Meeting, Portland, Oregon. 2010

*Achieving Quality Care in a Tough Economy.* National Commission on Correctional Health Care Mid-Year Meeting, Nashville, Tennessee, 2010 (Co-presented with Rick Morse and Helena Kim, PharmD.)

*Involuntary Psychotropic Administration: The Harper Solution.* With Dr. Bruce Gage. American Correctional Health Services Association, Annual Meeting, Portland, Oregon. 2010

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